**Research Project Proposal**

**I am doing research project B for my university rank (written only)**

My interest area is Cinema and film because I am very interested in cinema and film as I would like to be an actor one day and am very in interested in drama and film. Some particular areas I hope to focus on and expand on are: Film making, the camcorder, the history on movies and comparison to modern day movies and I also hope to find out in my community what type of genre is most popular by conducting surveys in my school. I will definitely speak to my drama teacher who has been to the National Institute of Dramatic Arts in Sydney for a summer course and ask her what was involved, how much is involved, how she found it etc.

In order to conduct my research project topic I would like to find someone from the film industry so I can interview them on their experiences, knowledge, such as an actor, producer, writer, director, etc.

I plan on gathering my research from the internet and books which would be secondary sources. I do have internet and many books at home to look through, if I do not have any I will defiantly check the school resource centre or a community library. I think researching it on the internet and using sources like books will benefit my research project question because there will be a plentiful amount of information using secondary sources.

I plan on researching several areas on Cinema and film because the topic is so vast and infinite. I plan on starting with the history if cinema and film moving onto basic questions -Who invented it -Why was it invented -What is it -When did it begin -Where did it begin & where is it now (modern). I plan on researching also on the modern day cinema and film through genres, which are the most popular, how they become popular etc.

My guiding question is what is the history and cinema and film. I plan to find the history of cinema and film from when it begun. I am very excited for starting to research this I think it will be an awesome topic and a great area to look at.

My capabilities are learning more about the film industry and expanding my knowledge in the vast area of film. I will also focus on work as a capability as I hope to look further into careers around this area starting with after school courses, attending flinders university in a drama course and then maybe some theatre work for pay later in the future.

Ethics I need to consider is not copying someone else’s copy write material because of plagiarism, I will rewrite all of my work from the sources I choose to use in my project. I will not fabricate anything or have any false information because I doubt there will be something I can’t find. I will also need to record my sources and make a bibliography.